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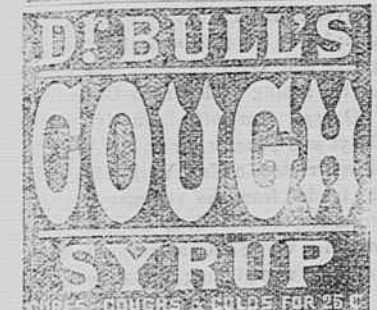
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ALEXANDRIA, VA., THURSDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 13, 1890

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LEXANDRIA cures Liver Complaint, Bilious Affections and Constipation. At druggists. Price 25 cts.



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(Price only 25 cents. Sold by all druggists.)
Relieves quickly Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Swellings, Bruises, Lumbago, Sprains, Headache, Toothache, Cuts, Burns, Scalds, Sores, Backache, &c.
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ALEXANDRIA, VA.

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CHARLES KING & SON,

WHOLESALE GROCERS,

217-223 NORTH LEE STREET,
(Opposite Hill's Cracker Factory)

SOLE AGENTS FOR SATISFACTION TO
BACCO AND HAZARD POWDER. oct26

W. A. JOHNSON & CO.,

WHOLESALE GROCERS,
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
And Dealers in
ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS,
Have on hand GIBSON'S XX, XXX, XXXX,
and PURE OLD RYE, OLD CABINET and
MONOGRAM WHISKIES; also BAKER'S and
THOMPSON'S PURE RYE WHISKIES, to which
they invite the attention of the trade.
Orders from the country for merchandise will
receive prompt attention.
Consignments of Flour, Grain and Country Pro-
duce solicited, for which they guarantee the high-
est market prices and prompt returns.
North-east corner of Cameron and Royal streets.
sep14 Alexandria, Va.

OPION

STOP COUGHING—LUNTS' COUGH SYRUP
will cure your cough if you will only give it a
trial. Price 10c and 25c per bottle.

sep25 J. D. H. LUNT.

**OSBART, GORDON & CO.'S OLD LONDON
DOCK MADEIRA WINE** at \$4 per gallon, a
great bargain, for sale by
aug13 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

SMOKED BEEF TONGUES in cans just re-
ceived.
feb19 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

**NEW SELECTED CUREN'S and VALEN-
CIA, OFFSTALK and ONDARA RAISINS**
just opened at
nov4 MCBURNEY'S.

PEPIONIZED ALE and BEER in pint bottles.
For sale by
jul10 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

**JUST RECEIVED—A beautiful line of FINE
J. PERUMERY, TOILET SOAPS, &c., at**
oct29 J. D. H. LUNT'S.

**ALL-WOOL STRIPED SHIRTS and DRAW-
ERS, for 75c a piece,** just received at
oct12 AMOS S. SLAYMAKER'S.

**12 QUARTER FINE WHITE ALL-WOOL
BLANKETS** at \$4.50, 11 quarter at \$3.50 at
dec7 AMOS S. SLAYMAKER'S.

**A BEAUTIFUL assortment of very handsome
gifts, the very things for Christmas Gifts, at**
dec7 AMOS S. SLAYMAKER'S.

10 BAGS CHOICE BUCKWHEAT MEAL
guaranteed pure, for sale low by
dec26 J. C. MILBURN.

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The GAZETTE office is connected with the Telephone
Exchange. Advertisements, orders for the paper,
news, or any information or business can be sent by
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second-class matter.]

The State Agricultural Department.

As stated in the GAZETTE the special joint
committee appointed to investigate the ex-
penditure of the Agricultural Department
and the utility of the same made their re-
port to the legislature on Tuesday. The
committee, after explaining the objects for
which the Board of Agriculture was formed,
the manner of appointing members of the
board, &c., says:

The only member of the board who re-
ceives compensation beyond his actual ex-
penses is the Commissioner of Agriculture,
Col. Thos. Whitehead, and he is the only
member whose whole time is devoted to
official business. The other members, of
course, must be closely attentive to their
private affairs, and have but occasional op-
portunity of considering the demands and
necessities of the Agricultural Department.
For anything of praise or censure herein the
Commissioner of Agriculture should be con-
sidered as mainly responsible.

The committee then proceeds to consider
and review the work that had been done in
the various branches of the Agricultural
Department. The committee, in referring
to the immigration agent, the corporation
of Sauton, is that officer, they ridiculed
the idea that his salary of \$1,000 per annum
and his annual expenses, amounting last
year to \$882, and any year might be more, was
only a charge on the State of \$75.25 per year,
and suggested that by such calculation the
five farms sold to immigrants or citizens,
might be very well calculated into 1,000
immigrants, with \$2,000 apiece, and ex-
pensive.

Touching the chemical department of the
board the report says:

The analysis of fertilizers was the main
object of this department. Under the pre-
sent law, without any fault of the chemist,
this department was worse than useless.
Only such samples as were furnished by the
manufacturer or dealer were the subject of
official or published analysis. The most
honest dealer would give a sample of the
highest standard of his goods, and a dishonest
dealer would seize the opportunity of
palming off on the public a dishonest sam-
ple.

The tax on fertilizers was a tax on a
commodity, which only those engaged in ag-
riculture use, and the tax laid by this law
was a peculiar burden upon them. The
present fertilizer law should be radically
changed.

The report says the board out of funds es-
pecially appropriated for the benefit of ag-
ricultural classes, had increased the salary of
the Commissioner of Agriculture and his
clerk, although the legislature had fixed
their salaries. They had created unneces-
sary the office of inspector and sampler,
when the samples were never the subject of
an official analysis, and rarely analyzed at all.

These expenditures were unnecessary and
wasteful and were none the less reprehensi-
ble because of an air of self interest and nepo-
tism.

A tabulated statement followed the report.

Deferred Items.

Senator Chandler has prepared a bill to
regulate immigration in the United States.

During the week 2,700 head of cattle on
the hoof will be shipped from Baltimore to
foreign ports.

Portugal will complete the defenses of
Lisbon, reorganize her army and purchase
eight war ships.

133,581 bushels of corn, the largest grain
cargo out of Baltimore, will be shipped to-
day by the steamship Specialist to Rotter-
dam.

A New York policeman found a female
child alive in a tin pail floating in the water
off the foot of Barrow street last Tuesday
night.

The Brazilian minister of the interior has
resigned his office in consequence of a dis-
agreement with the president of the provin-
cial government of that republic.

James B. Clary, of Newberry county, S. C.,
on Tuesday attempted to murder his
wife and daughter, and the former may die,
he having inflicted a terrible wound upon her
head with an axe.

The ice companies in many of the New
York cities have about given up the idea of
getting any ice from the Hudson river.
They will go to Lake Champlain and other
northern lakes. The lack of ice to cut has
caused great suffering among the unemployed
in the river towns and cities.

On Saturday last Senator Ingalls' mail
contained a small pink wrapped box four
inches long, two inches wide and a little
more than an inch thick. On being opened
the box was found to contain one of the
Union Metallic Cartridge Co.'s "Star" car-
tridges, with the following inscription in
black ink: "Election pills for Old Cuff or
for Ingalls, from Jackson, Miss. Come to
see us, Old Nutgalls."

Buckley's Arnica Salve

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises,
Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter,
Chapped Hands, Chiblain, Corns and all Skin
Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay
required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satis-
faction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per
box. For sale by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.

Mrs. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP, for
children's teething, is the prescription of one of the
best female nurses and physicians in the United
States, and has been used for forty years with
never-failing success by millions of mothers for
their children. During the process of teething
its value is incalculable. It relieves the child
from pain, cures dysentery and diarrhoea, griping
in the bowels and wind-colic. By giving health
to the child it rests the mother. Price 25 cents a
bottle.

THE NEW 1 MACKEREL just received.

jan2 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

MEDICINAL.

**Take
Simmons
Liver
Regulator
One Dose
WORTH
100 Dollars**

DEAR S. L. R.—FRIENDS: I consider one dose
of Simmons' Liver Regulator worth \$100. I
was constipated, had headache, could eat nothing
with satisfaction or appetite; had the blues and
felt altogether out of sorts. I resorted to blue
mass, calomel, quinine and all remedies sug-
gested, but only obtained temporary relief. One dose
of S. L. R. did me more good than the \$100
worth of doctors and doctoring. Respectfully,
T. C. MARKLEY.

I have been a teacher for twenty years, and
during that time have had repeated attacks of
headache, produced by torpid liver, and I have
been entirely cured by the use of Simmons' Liver
Regulator. I found it to be of so mild a character
in its action as not to interfere, in the least, with
my duties in the school room. To those similarly
situated and subject to same, I cannot too highly
recommend Simmons' Liver Regulator.
E. A. CREEK, Campbellsville, Ky.

CONFECTIONERS.

D. HARRY APPICH,
(Successor to David Appich)

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Confectioner and Fruit Dealer,

525 KING STREET,
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

FINE FRENCH CANDIES AND FANCY

CAKES

A SPECIALTY.

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LEGAL.

NOTICE—All persons having claims against
the late ALEX. H. SLAYMAKER will pre-
sent the same to the undersigned for payment.
THOS. LEADBEATER,
Administrator.

FISH.

200 barrels Potomac Herring.
100 " Gib Labrador.
80 " Split "
200 half barrels Lake Fish.
100 barrels Mackerel Cut Fish.
50 half barrels Pickled.
In store and for sale by
nov16 CHAS. KING & SON.

PERFECTION WOOD STAINS, imitating Oak

Antique Oak, Cherry, Walnut, Mahogany,
Rosewood and Ebony, prepared in dry powder
form, requiring to be reduced with water to be
ready for use. For staining doors and all kinds
of woodwork they are the most economical, cheap-
est and handsomest stains ever produced. Ten
cents a package. For sale by
oct22 W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

NO MORE ROUND SHOULDERS.

THE IMPROVED
KNICKERBOCKER SHOULDER BRACE.
Shoulder Brace and Suspender combined; pre-
vents children becoming stooped or round-should-
ered; physicians all recommend them; a gentle or
powerful brace obtained; easily adjusted and worn
with comfort. For sale by
mh1 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

FLOUR!

PILLSBERRY'S BEST MINNESOTA PATENT,
JONES'S HUNGARIAN
BAKER'S CRYSTAL
TENNEY'S OUR NEW SOUTH
CHOICE FAMILY.

The above are the best brands of Flour made
ap20 GEO. MCBURNEY.

CHOICE SPICED PICKLES.

92 barrels (1200) PICKLES.
8 barrels (2400) PICKLES.
4 half do. (1200) PICKLES.
Received to-day and for sale by
nov1 CHAS. KING & SON.

AYER'S VITA NUOVA,

A Life giving, Health-renewing Cordial and Tonic,
Just received by
ang31 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

CHIPPED BEEF in pound and half pound cans.

For delicacy of curing and uniformity of cut,
and quality of meat makes it more desirable for
family use than any other form of beef sold.
jan15 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

BISHOP'S BIRD DESTROYER.

" " SAND."
A large supply just received and for sale by
nov14 W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

DYSPEPSIA CURE.

AROMANNA!
Just received a supply of the above celebrated
preparation. It never fails. Price 25c. For sale by
oct22 W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

FANCY JAMAICA ORANGES and MESSINA

LEMONS and MALAGA GRAPES just re-
ceived at
nov4 MCBURNEY'S STORE.

ANOTHER CASE OF THOSE CHEAP THREE

for 25 cents Seamless Half Hose just received
my4 A. A. B. SLAYMAKER'S.

IF YOU want something nice try our SEASON-

ING FOR CHOP PICKLE.
oct29 JOHN D. H. LUNT.

NEW SEASONABLE GOODS—New Boneless

Codfish and New No. 2 and 3 Mackerel.
sep23 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

NEW BONELESS CODFISH and SCOTCH

HERRING at
oct10 MCBURNEY'S.

TRY OUR CHERRY SYRUP for Colds and

Coughs.
nov30 BEADUS & SMITH.

NEW PINEAPPLE CHEESE, medium and

small size, NORTON'S BRAND, just received
at [nov4] MCBURNEY'S.

BASS'S ALE, GUINNESS'S STOUT and BEL

FAST FINE ALE for sale by
jy19 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

MAPLE SYRUP in quart cans and quart fancy

decanters for sale by
nov4 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

AUCTION SALES.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

By virtue of a conveyance from the owner of
the SCHOONER E. K. HART to the undersigned
to secure the payment of a note for \$200, and de-
fault having been made in its payment, I will
offer for sale the above named schooner to the
highest bidder, in front of the Custom House, in
Alexandria, Va., on WEDNESDAY, March 5th,
1890, at 10 o'clock a. m. to satisfy the claim.
feb5 ts JOHN CRITCHER, Jr., Trustee.

SERGEANT'S SALE OF EFFECTS OF F. C.

NEALE & SON.
By virtue of an execution in my hands in favor
of the Produce Marble Company and Vermont
Marble Company against the goods and chattels
of F. C. Neale, trading under the firm name of
F. C. Neale & Son, I will sell at pub-
lic auction, on MONDAY, February 17th, 1890,
at 11 o'clock a. m., at the marble yard, corner of
Duke and Columbia streets, in the city of Alexan-
dria, Va., the following property, to wit:

15 Monuments.
20 Tombstones (large).
9 " (small).
2 Rough Vases.
2 Bar Strips.
4 Pieces of Coping.
Terms of Sale: Cash.
feb4 ts WM. H. SMITH, Sergeant.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

OF
VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN THE COUNTY
OF ALEXANDRIA.

By virtue of a deed of trust executed on the 8th
day of December, 1888, by Richard Norris and
wife and recorded in deed book No. 4, page 292,
in the Clerk's office of Alexandria county, the un-
dersigned, trustee, will offer for sale at public
auction, at the front door of the Court House of
Alexandria county, about 12 o'clock mid-day on
MONDAY, the 24th day of February, 1890 (that
being Court day), all that certain TRACT or PAR-
CEL OF LAND, situated in the county of Alexan-
dria, Virginia, and containing "THIRTY-SIX
ACRES and ONE TENTH, more or less, it being
the same land upon which the said Richard Nor-
ris now resides, and is distant about three miles
from the city of Washington.

Terms of Sale: Cash enough to pay the cost of
executing this trust and the sum of \$346.25 with
interest from the first day of January, 1889, and
the residue on a credit of one and two years; the
title to be withheld until all of said purchase
money, with six per cent. interest, shall have
been paid.
jan7 tf W. W. THORNTON, Trustee.

FOR SALE AND RENT.

FOR SALE—A VERY DESIRABLE RESI-
DENCE, ten rooms, in excellent repair, heat-
ed by furnace in cellar, but arranged to use
if desired; gas throughout the house, hot and
cold water in kitchen and bath; location good;
price \$2,300. Also a LOT in N. E. Washington.
For further particulars inquire at 408 South Fair
fax street. feb4 1m

FOR RENT.

THE FRAME HOUSE
No. 413 South Lee street. The house is in per-
fect order, and to a good tenant the rent will be
low. Apply at
feb1 tf 504 PRINCE STREET.

FOR SALE—A TEN-ROOM and BATH

DWELLING HOUSE, with all modern con-
veniences, large side garden; situated on the cor-
ner of Washington and Cameron streets, opposite
old Christ Church. This is the finest location in
Alexandria. A splendid opportunity to secure a
comfortable home; price \$8,000. Apply to
FRANCIS HURTY,
jan28 2w 1301 F st. n. w., Washington, D. C.

FOR SALE.

TWO NEW and CONVENIENT BRICK
HOUSES, Nos. 413 and 415 North St. Asaph
street, containing six rooms and a bath room
each, with good yards. Apply to
sep19 tf 423 North St. Asaph street.

FOR RENT—THE THREE STORY BRICK

WAREHOUSE No. 113 King street, recently
occupied by C. S. Taylor, Jr. Possession given
immediately. Apply to
ang19 C. C. SMOOT & SONS.

FOR RENT.

THIRTY ACRES OF LAND,
lying immediately in front of the Theological
Seminary, adjoining the farm of Wm. Cleaveland.
Apply at this office. sep15 tf

FINANCIAL.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

CORNER LEE and PRINCE STREETS

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President. Cashier.

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ing collections throughout the United States and
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